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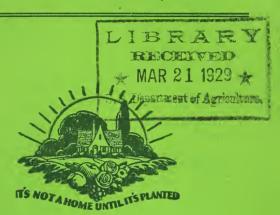


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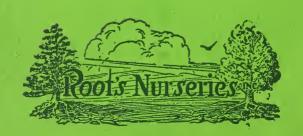
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1929



A PERSONAL MESSAGE

It is with great pleasure that we present our new catalog. and we believe this to be an opportune time for its introduc-

tion.

Our Nurseries have reached the reputation we now enjoy through our customers who have made them what they are, and we believe those whom we have had the pleasure of serving in the thirty-four years of our experience in the nursery business have confidence in our organization.

To those who have never purchased nursery stock from us, may we ask that you convince yourself of the reliability of our statements by giving us a trial order. We wish to be understood that we do not sell the "cheapest" trees and plants, but as good as can be grown in the best of soils, and at low prices when quality and services are considered.

ROOT'S NURSERIES, Inc.

Phone Landisville 104-R-13

Landscape Service

In this department you are rendered complete service. Not only can we supply you with the plants, but tell you how they should be used to best advantage.

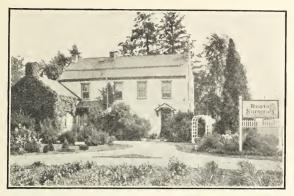
We shall be glad to offer suggestions for arranging the plantings of the new home as well as making additions to existing plantings. If definite plans are required, our landscape department is prepared to serve you in this manner. Many of our clients prefer to have our men plant the trees and shrubs on their grounds. The cost of this service is nominal, but it is an assurance that the work will be properly done and that the stock will be given the best possible start. When you have us do the planting of ornamentals, any

When you have us do the planting of ornamentals, any plants that die during the first season will be resupplied at one-half price, or credited on new selection, provided the original account was paid promptly.

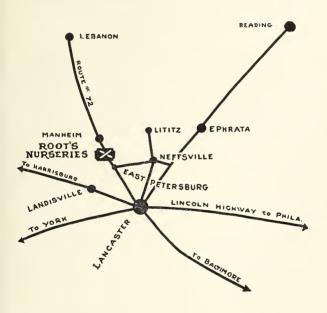
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A'descriptive booklet on "How To Plant" will be sent with each order.



Above picture shows entrance to our Office and Sales Ground.



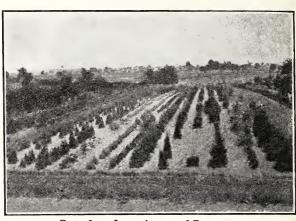
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HOW TO REACH THE NURSERIES

Our Nurseries are conveniently located on Route 72, or the Lancaster-Lebanon Highway. The newly built concrete road, which is the relocation of the Highway, passes through one of the farms on which we grow Nursery Stock.

Whether you are traveling south from Manheim or north from East Petersburg on this road, you cannot miss our signs placed on the side to the east. After you see one of these signs you will be directed at the next intersection over our private road to the office and sales grounds. private road to the office and sales grounds.

If you are not acquainted with the location of our Nurseries, a little study of the above map will help you to get to us with very little, if any, trouble.



Part of our Large Acreage of Evergreens.

EVERGREENS

These Evergreens have been transplanted frequently. Each time they have been given ample room for proper growth. Every one is sheared into a symmetrical shape. Freshly dug in the nursery for your individual order. Balled and bur-

lapped.

'All of the following varieties may be trimmed and used for Foundation planting, etc., with the exception of the Abies or Firs, the Piceas or Spruces, and the Pinus or Pines. (Except Mugho Pine which is dwarf.) These varieties will grow large and should be used for specimens, screens or for massing where there is plenty of room for them to develop.

Scientific Name

ABIES—FIR

Common Name

| ABIES concolor, 70'-80' White Fir Grows quickly and forms symmetrical, beautiful specimen. |
|--|
| Large, gray-green needles. |
| Each |
| 18 to 24 in |
| 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $\bar{3}$ ft |
| -nordmanniana, 60'-70' Nordmann Fir |
| Grows slowly when young. Flat leaves are rich, shining |
| green above, silvery white beneath. |
| green above, silvery white beneath. 18 to 24 in |
| JUNIPERUS—JUNIPER |
| THINIDEDITO 1: 15/ 00/ |

 12 to 18 in.
 2.00

 18 to 24 in.
 3.00

 2 to 3 ft.
 5.00

 3 to 4 ft.
 8.00

| Scientific Name Common Nam —communis aurea, 1'-1½' Golden Common Junipe | e |
|---|-----|
| Low spreading habit. Golden foliage, particularly bright | r |
| in spring. | |
| 12 to 15 in | |
| 15 to 18 in | |
| ——canadensis, 2½'-3' Canada Junipe Forms a low vase-shaped bush. Leaves dark green above | r |
| bluish underneath. | -, |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| ——suecica nana, 3'-3½' A narrow, compact column. Dwarf Swedish Junipe | r |
| A narrow, compact column. | |
| 12 to 15 in | |
| —excelsa stricta, 4'-5' Spiny Greek Junipe Compact, well-shaped pyramid. Foliage gray-green. Mos | r |
| useful for formal effects. | it |
| 10 to 12 in | |
| 12 to 15 in | |
| 15 to 18 in | |
| —horizontalis (sabina prostrata), 1'-1½' Creeping Junipe | |
| Branches trail along ground. Adapted to rock-work an | d |
| ground covering. | |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| * = | |
| ——douglasi, 1'-1½' Long branches trailing along ground. Steely-blue foliage | r |
| A splendid ground cover; also effective among rock Distinct purple hue in winter. | ζ. |
| Distinct purple hue in winter. | |
| Each | |
| 15 to 18 in | |
| —sabina, 6'-7' Savin Junipe | 24. |
| Dense, dark green foliage. Spreading branches, formin | g |
| irregular vase-shaped bush. | |
| 10 to 12 in 1.50 12 to 15 in 2.00 | |
| 15 to 18 in | |
| —virginiana glauca, 15'-20' Silver Redceda | ır |
| Bluish-gray foliage. Distinct. | |
| 2 to 3 ft | |
| 3 to 3½ ft | |
| PICEA—SPRUCE | |
| | |
| PICEA excelsa, 80'-100' Has dark green foliage and grows rapidly. Makes a goo | d |
| windbreak, and also lends itself well to trimmed hedges. | |
| 12 to 18 in | |
| 2 to 2½ ft | |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $\bar{3}$ ft | |
| 3 to 4 ft | |
| —pungens glauca, 60'-80' Blue Colorado Spruc Branches in distinct whorls, forming handsome law | e |
| specimen. | 11 |
| 12 to 18 in | |
| 18 to 24 in 5.00 | |
| — — kosteri Koster Blue Spruc | e |
| 12 to 15 in 7.50 | |
| 2 to 2½ ft | |
| , 2 | |

PINIIS-PINE

| PINUSPINE |
|---|
| Scientific Name Common Name |
| PINUS montana mughus, $2\frac{1}{2}'-3'$ Mugho Pine Forms a round-topped clump. Useful for rock planting and foundation work. |
| 12 to 18 in |
| —nigra, 60'-70' Austrian Pine Rich, dark green. Vigorous, dense grower. Good for background. |
| 18 to 24 in. 2.00 2 to 2½ ft. 3.00 2½ to 3 ft. 4.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft |
| Probably our most adaptable and useful pine. Very picturesque when old. 18 to 24 in |
| —sylvestris, 25′–30′ Scotch Pine A rapid-growing, handsome tree, especially when young. |
| Good for windbreaks. 18 to 24 in |
| $2 \text{ to } 2\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.}$ 3.00 $2\frac{1}{2} \text{ to } 3 \text{ ft.}$ 4.00 5 to 6 ft. 8.00 |
| PSEUDOTSUGA—FIR |
| PSEUDOTSUGA douglasi, 70'-80' Very hardy; dark bluish-green coloring. Prefers well-drained situation. |
| 12 to 15 in |



Thrifty Evergreens in our three-year beds.

| RETINOSPORA—CYPRESS |
|---|
| RETINOSPORA obtusa compacta, 2½'-4' Football Cypress |
| Almost spherical in shape. Good green throughout winter |
| Very useful in foundation or formal work. Each |
| 15 to 18 in 3.00 |
| 18 to 24 in |
| —pisifera, 25′–35′ Sawara Cypress |
| Quick grower. Loosely pyramidal. |
| 18 to 24 in |
| — — aurea, 25′–35′ Golden Sawara Cypress |
| Foliage bright yellow, especially in spring. |
| 18 to 24 in |

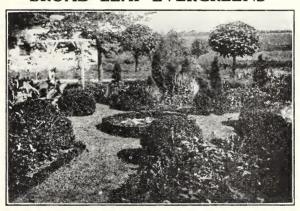
| Scientific Name Common Name |
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| — Glifora 15' 20' Thread Draw-had Common |
| ——filifera, 15'-20' Thread Branched Cypress Has long, stringy, drooping branches and bright green foliage. Graceful and decorative. |
| foliogo Graceful and descrative |
| 12 to 15 in |
| 15 to 18 in |
| $\frac{2}{2}$ to $\frac{2}{2}$ ft. $\frac{2.30}{5.00}$ |
| ———aurea, 10'–12' Golden Thread Branched Cypress |
| Very bright, conspicuous, golden yellow. Grows more slowly than preceding. |
| 10 to 12 in |
| 12 to 15 in |
| ——plumosa, 25′–35′ Plume Cypress |
| ——plumosa, 25'-35' Plume Cypress Forms a dense cone of fine texture. Useful for shearing into formal shapes. |
| 15 to 18 in 1.50 |
| 18 to 24 in 2.50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft |
| $3 \text{ to } 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.}$ 5.00 |
| — — — aurea, 20'–25' Goldenplume Cypress |
| Golden form of preceding, and grows more slowly. |
| 12 to 15 in |
| 15 to 18 in |
| 18 to 24 in |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft |
| ———lutescens, 2½′-3′ Dwarf Yellow Plume Cypress |
| Forms a low, broad, round-topped bush; bright yellow tipped branchlets. |
| tipped branchlets. |
| 9 to 12 in 2.00 |
| 12 to 15 in 2.50 |
| —squarrosa veitchi, 25'-30' Veitch Moss Cypress Foliage blue-gray, feathery and dense, giving soft woolly appearance. Broad pyramidal outline when young. |
| Foliage blue-gray, feathery and dense, giving soft woolly |
| appearance. Broad pyramidal outline when young. |
| 15 to 18 in |
| 18 to 24 in |
| 2 to 2½ ft 4.00 |
| TAXUS—YEW |
| |
| TAXUS baccata repandens, 18"-24" Spreading English Yew Spreading, horizontal branches, dark blue-green leaves. Valuable for low planting. |
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| Valuable for low planting. Each |
| 15 to 18 in |
| 13 (0 16 111 |
| -cuspidata, 4'-5' Spreading Japanese Yew Rich, deep green leaves. Spreading, bushy habit. Valuable in foundation plantings. Exceptionally hardy. |
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| able in foundation plantings. Exceptionally narray. |
| 18 to 24 in |
| ——capitata, 5'-10' Upright Japanese Yew |
| The upright type of Taxus cuspidata. |
| 18 to 24 in |
| — nana (brevifolia), 2'-3' Dwarf Japanese Yew |
| Broad, thick leaves, blackish green. Slow growing and |
| irregular, spreading habit. Exceptionally hardy. |
| 12 to 15 in |
| 18 to 24 in 6.00 |
| THUJA—ARBORVITAE |
| |
| THUJA occidentalis, 15'-30' American Arborvitae |
| Slender pyramid with broad base. Bronzy winter coloring. |
| Good accent plant or for a hedge. |
| 12 to 18 in |
| 18 to 24 in |
| 2 to 3 ft |
| 3 to 4 ft |
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| Scientific Name | Common Nous |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| — —compacta, 2½'-4' | Common Name Parsons Arborvitae |
| Almost globe-shaped. Bright green. | Useful in formal or |
| foundation planting. | |
| 12 to 15 in | 1.75 |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| — —globosa, 2½'-3' | Globe Arborvitae |
| Useful in formal work. Naturally glo | be-shaped. |
| 10 to 12 in | 1.50 |
| 15 to 18 in | 2.50 |
| — —hoveyi, 3'-4' | Hovey Arborvitae |
| Oval in shape, nearly as broad as foliage. | high. Bright green |
| 15 to 18 in | 2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| ——lutea, 10'–15' Geo. Conspicuous golden yellow form. Col | Peabody Arborvitae |
| 12 to 15 in | umnar outline. |
| 15 to 18 in | 2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| 2 to 2½ ft | Moss Arborvitae |
| Rich, deep blue-green foliage. Short. | stiff branchlets give |
| pleasing effect in light and shade. For | ormal pyramid. |
| 2 to 2½ ft | 4.00 |
| 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft | 5.00 |
| — —pyramidalis, 15′–30′ P | vramidal Arborvitae |
| Retains bright green coloring through columnar shape; splendid for accents of | out winter. Narrow |
| 12 to 18 in | |
| 18 to 24 in | 1.75 |
| 2 to 2½ ft | |
| 2½ to 3 ft | 4.25 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 ft | 4.75 |
| — rosenthali, 6'-10' | Rosenthal Arborvitae |
| Dense, rugged, columnar form. Slow 12 to 15 in | grower. 1.75 |
| 15 to 18 in | 2.50 |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| | Umbrella Arborvitae |
| Particularly good low mushroom-sha green foliage. | ped form with rich |
| 3 | Each |
| 12 to 15 in | 2.00 |
| 18 to 24 in | 2.75 |
| | Ware Arborvitae |
| Light green, fleshy foliage. Broadly p | oyramidal, rugged in |
| appearance. 15 to 18 in | 1.75 |
| 18 to 24 in | 2.25 |
| 2 to 2½ ft | 3.00 |
| —orientalis aurea nana, $2\frac{1}{2}'-3'$ | s Golden Arborvitae |
| A gem for dwarf planting; compact | ct, roundish shape; |
| A gem for dwarf planting; compact warm golden yellow foliage. Especia | lly good for formal |
| work and edging. 6 to 8 in | 1.25 |
| 8 to 10 in | 1.50 |
| 10 to 12 in | 1.75 |
| 12 to 15 in | 2.50 |

| Scientific Name | Common Name |
|--|------------------------|
| — —conspicua, 7'-8' | Goldspire Arborvitae |
| Golden yellow in spring, bronze | yellow in winter. Dis- |
| tinctive. | 2.70 |
| 15 to 18 in | |
| 18 to 24 in | 3.00 |
| TSUGA—HEML | OCK |
| TSUGA canadensis, 75'-90' | Canada Hemlock |
| Most graceful and adaptable, | |
| branches making effective shade | |
| shady or sunny locations. | |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| 2 to 2½ ft | 3.25 |
| 2½ to 3 ft | 4.25 |
| $3 \text{ to } 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.}$ | |
| 4 to 5 ft | 7.00 |

BROAD LEAF EVERGREENS



Garden and Pool at Nurseries.

ABELIA

| ABELIA grandiflora, 3'-4' | Glossy Abelia |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Choice small shrub, with | white tinted lilac flowers, produced |
| throughout the entire su | immer months. |
| 9 | Each |
| 18 to 24 in | 75 |

| | AZALEA |
|---|--|
| A | ZALEA amoena, 3'-4' |
| | Conspicuous purple-red flowers, April-May. Leaves turn |
| | a rich, bronze-green in winter. Each |
| | 8 to 10 in |
| | 10 to 12 in |
| _ | -hinodegiri, 3'-4' |
| | Larger leaves and looser growth than above; flowers very |
| | bright carmine-pink; effective in masses or with Rhodo- |
| | dendron. |
| | 10 to 12 in |
| | |
| | |

| BERBERIS—BARBERRY | | |
|---|---------|----------|
| BERBERIS ilicifolia, 5'-6' | Holly | Barberry |
| Holly-like leaves, persisting until new f | foliage | appears; |
| flowers yellow. Semi-evergreen. | | |
| 15 to 18 in 1.25 | | |

| Scientific Name —julianae, 4'-5' Beautiful hardy variety, of compact growth, with nice glossy green foliage throughout the winter. 12 to 15 in |
|--|
| BUXUS—BOXWOOD |
| BUXUS sempervirens (bush form), 12'-15' Boxwood Useful for formal hedges. Specially desired for planting as individual specimens on lawns or in tubs. 10 to 12 in 1.50 12 to 15 in 1.75 15 to 18 in 2.00 18 to 24 in 3.00 |
| COTONEASTER |
| COTONEASTER horizontalis, 1'-1½' Rock Cotoneaster Small box-like leaves; bright red berries; effective among rocks. 3-in. pots |
| DAPHNE cneorum, 1' Gray-green foliage, low spreading. April–May. Delightful fragrance. 3-in. pots |
| EUONYMUS |
| EUONYMUS japonicus, 5'-6' Lustrous, deep green leaves; upright bushy habit; needs winter protection here. 12 to 18 in |
| ILEX—HOLLY |
| ILEX crenata, 8'-10' Box-like leaves, rich, deep green, and leathery. Stiff branching, makes a good hedge. Black berries. 15 to 18 in |
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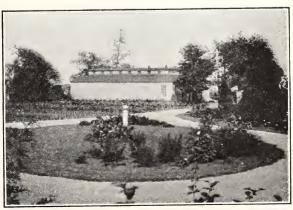
| MANHEIM, PENNSYLVANIA. |
|--|
| Scientific Name KALMIA—LAUREL KALMIA latifolia, 5'-7' Mountain Laurel Most effective in June when the clusters of pink flowers open. This stock is nursery grown. Good foliage; like shade. Each Per 10 Per 100 12 to 15 in |
| LEUCOTHOE LEUCOTHOE catesbaei, 3'-4' Drooping Leucothoe Attractive white flowers, May. Handsome lustrous leaves, rich autumn coloring. Splendid for under planting in shade. 12 to 15 in |
| MAHONIA |
| MAHONIA aquifolium, 4'-5' Oregon Holly Grape Shining green leaves, turn rich scarlet in Autumn; striking in May when yellow flowers appear; blue-black fruits. Best in half shade. 12 to 15 in |
| PACHYSANDRA—JAPANESE SPURGE PACHYSANDRA terminalis, 6"-8" Japanese Spurge One of the best bedding plants for green effect in shady |
| One of the best bedding plants for green effect in shady |
| places. 4 to 6 in |
| |
| RHODODENDRON |
| RHODODENDRON maximum, 8'-12' Rosebay Rhododendror Beautiful light pink flowers freely produced in May-June Large handsome foliage, most effective in masses. 18 to 24 in |
| Hybrid Rhododendror |
| — Hybrid. Beautiful Red or Pink. 15 to 18 in 5.00 18 to 24 in 7.00 |
| VINCA—PERIWINKLE |
| VINCA minor Periwinkle |
| Very good ground cover. |

YUCCA-ADAM'S NEEDLE YUCCA filamentosa, 2'-3' Adam's Needle Long lance-like leaves. Tall flower spike grows up quickly in June–July. Numerous creamy flowers and general appearance give representations. Useful for massing with either evergreens or shrubbery. 3-year plants.....

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

| 5 or more of one kind—10¢ less per plant, except Bar—5¢ less. | rberry |
|---|-------------------------|
| Scientific Name Common | Name |
| ACANTHOPANAX—ARALIA ACANTHOPANAX pentaphyllum, 7'-8' Five Leaf Graceful, arching habit; splendid for banks; very adap good foliage for smoky exposures. E 2 to 3 ft. \$ 3 to 4 ft. \$ | table: Cach .50 |
| AMYGDALUS—FLOWERING ALMOND AMYGDALUS nana, 5'-6' Flowering Al Flowers double, May; very showy; there are Pinl White varieties. | lmond k and |
| 18 to 24 in 2 to 3 ft | .50 |
| | |
| AZALEA AZALEA kaempferi, 4'-5' Warm brick-red flowers, May. | Azalea |
| AZALEA kaempferi, 4'-5' Warm brick-red flowers, May. 12 to 15 in | 2 50 |
| Large showy flowers in shades of orange and red. | Azalea May- |
| June. Large hairy leaves. Likes sun. 12 to 15 in | 2.00 |
| | |
| 12 to 15 in | 2.00 2.50 |
| BERBERIS—BARBERRY | |
| BERBERIS ilicifolia, 5'-6' Holly Bar Holly-like leaves, persisting until new foliage app flowers yellow. Semi-evergreen. 15 to 18 in | pears; |
| 15 to 18 in | 1.50 rberry itumn |
| coloring; scarlet berries. | 20 |
| 18 to 24 in. | .30 |
| 15 to 18 in | rberry .50 |
| BUDDLEIA—BUTTERFLY BUSH | |
| BUDDLEIA davidi magnifica, 5'-6' Butterfly Very effective with gray-green foliage and deep lilac flo likes sun. June, September. | Bush owers: |
| 2 to 3 ft | .40 .50 |
| CALYCANTHUS—SWEETSHRUB | |
| CALYCANTHUS floridus, 4'-5' Sweet Chocolate colored flowers, fragrant. 18 to 24 in | |
| 2 to 3 ft | .75 |
| CEPHALANTHUS—BUTTONBUSH CEPHALANTHUS occidentalis 5'-6' Rutto | nhuch |
| CEPHALANTHUS occidentalis, 5'-6' Butto Round heads of creamy white flowers, July-Sept. foliage; likes moisture. | |
| 18 to 24 in 2 to 3 ft | .50 - .75 |

| Scientific Name | Common I | Name |
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| CLETHRA—SWEET PEPPER | BUSH | |
| CLETHRA alnifolia, 4'-5'. So Spikes of very fragrant flowers, July-Sep shady places. Also called Summersweet. 18 to 24 in. 2 to 3 ft. | Ea | Bush noist, ach .60 .75 |
| CORNUS—DOGWOOD | | |
| CORNUS stolonifera, 7'-8' | ed-Osier Dog | wood |
| CORNUS stolonifera, 7'-8' Re Spreading habit, dark red bark, white fru moisture. | | |
| 2 to 3 ft | en Bark Dog | .50 wood |
| Has distinct yellow bark; fine for winter 18 to 24 in | effects. | .50 |
| 2 to 3 ft | | .60 |
| CYDONIA—FLOWERING Q | | |
| CYDONIA japonica, 4'-5' Scarlet flowers in April, May. | Flowering Q | uince |
| Scarlet flowers in April, May. 18 to 24 in 2 to 3 ft | | .50 |
| DEUTZIA | | |
| DEUTZIA gracilis, 3' Profuse bloomer, pure white, May. Useft 12 to 15 in. 15 to 18 in. —lemoinei, 4'-5' Large white flowers, June, graceful. 15 to 18 in. 18 to 24 in. —scabra crenata fl. pl., 6'-8' Pink, slightly fragrant, June. 2 to 3 ft. 3 to 4 ft. —pride of Rochester, 9'-10' Vigorous, large flower tinged pink, June. 3 to 4 ft. 4 to 5 ft. | Lemoine Do | shrub. .40 .50 eutzia .40 .50 eutzia .50 .60 eutzia |
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Storage and Packing House seen from Display Grounds.

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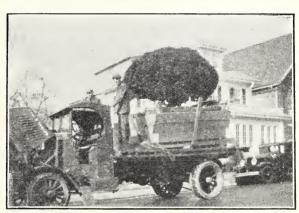
| Scientific Name | EUONYMU: | Common Name |
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| EUONYMUS alatu Interesting corky Makes fine specia | s, 9'–10' / bark, warm cr nen shrub. | S Winged Euonymu imson autumn coloring |
| 18 to 24 in | | Each |
| EXO | CHORDA—PEA | RLBUSH |
| EXOCHORDA gran | ndiflora, 6′–9′ owers, Mav. Is i | Pearlbush improved by pruning6075 |
| FORS | SYTHIA—GOLDI | EN BELL |
| | | 8' Fortune Golden Bellorous grower |
| HIBIS | CUS-ROSE O | F SHARON |
| Rather formal in ber. Pink, purple 2 to 3 ft | (Althea), 10'–12' outline, flowering e, red, and white, | Rose of Sharon in August and Septemsingle and double. |
| | HYDRANGE | A |
| 18 to 24 in | te flower panicles, dora, 8'-9' ning in Sept. | Snowhill Hydrangea very showy. August |
| 3 to 4 ft | | Tree Hydrangea |
| | RICUM—GOLD | |
| HYPERICUM mose Large waxy yellow herbaceous, splend 18 to 24 in | rianum, 2' w flowers. July- lid mass plant. | Goldflower -August. Dainty, half- |
| LI | GUSTRUM—PR | IVET |
| LIGUSTRUM ovalife 12 to 15 in 15 to 18 in | olium aureum, 8' | -9' Golden Privet |
| | CERA—HONEY | |
| LONICERA fragrant Fragrant white flog to 3 ft —tartarica, Pink, Re | issima, 6'-8' wer, April-May. | Winter Honeysuckle Half-evergreen. |
| | | Tartarian Honeysuckle |
| Flowers and fruit fr 2 to 3 ft | eely produced. A | A most adaptable shrub. |

| Scientific Name | Common | Name |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|
| PHILADELPHUSMOCKORA | MCE | |
| PHILADELPHUS coronarius, 9'-10' Sy | NGE | |
| White fragrant flowers profusely borne in | veet Mock | orange |
| | T | i o o h |
| 2 to 3 ft | | 50 |
| 3 to 4 ft. | | 60 |
| 3 to 4 ft | eaf Mocke | orange |
| Dwarf, compact form. Yellow leaves. | Jear Mock | Jungo |
| 15 to 18 in | | .50 |
| 18 to 24 in | | .60 |
| —virginalis, 7'-8' Virg | inal Mocko | orange |
| -virginalis, 7'-8' Virg Beautiful semi-double flowers produced in | ntermitten | tly all |
| summer. | | • |
| summer. 2 to 3 ft | | 1.00 |
| PHYSOCARPUS—NINEBAR | K | |
| PHYSOCARPIIS opulifolius 0'-10' | Nir | iebark |
| Creamy white Lune Vigorous Good fo | r shade | iebai k |
| PHYSOCARPUS opulifolius, 9'-10' Creamy white, June. Vigorous. Good fo 2 to 3 ft | · · · · · · · · · | .50 |
| | | |
| RHODOTYPOS—JETBEAI |) | |
| RHODOTYPOS kerrioides, 4'-5' Fresh green foliage, pure white flowers, May black bead-like berries all winter. Also ca 2 to 3 ft | Je | etbead |
| Fresh green foliage, pure white flowers, May | -J une. S | hining |
| black bead-like berries all winter. Also ca | ılled Jetbea | ad. |
| 2 to 3 ft | | .50 |
| RHUS—SUMAC | | |
| RHUS canadensis (aromatica), 4'-5' Clusters of small yellow flowers, Apriltractive in June when covered with coral-re | Fragrant 9 | Sumac |
| Clusters of small vellow flowers April- | May Mo | st at- |
| tractive in Tune when covered with coral-re | ed fruits. | With- |
| stands drought. Aromatic foliage. | | |
| stands drought. Aromatic foliage. 2 to 3 ft | | 1.00 |
| —cotinus, 10'-12' | Smok | e Tre <mark>e</mark> |
| Also called Purple Fringe. | | |
| 2 to 3 ft | | 1.50 |
| SAMBUCUS—ELDER | | |
| | | |
| SAMBUCUS canadensis aurea, 10'-12' Golden Has conspicuous yellow foliage. 2 to 3 ft | American | Elder |
| Has conspicuous vellow foliage. | 11110110011 | |
| 2 to 3 ft | | .50 |
| SPIRAEA—SPIREA | | |
| | | |
| SPIRAEA bumalda, anthony waterer, 3' Anthony | w Waterer | Spiron |
| Deep rose pink: very free flowering all sur | mmer | |
| 12 to 15 in | inner. | .30 |
| 15 to 18 in. | | .40 |
| 15 to 18 in. 18 to 24 in. —prunifolia, 7'–8' | | .50 |
| —prunifolia, 7'-8' | Bridaly | vreath |
| White, May, Free flowering; handsome d | ark green s | hining |
| foliage, turning orange in autumn. | | |
| foliage, turning orange in autumn. 2 to 3 ft | OC1 1 . | .50 |
| mulibergi, 4 -3 | THUIDEIG | opii ca |
| Slender, arching branches clothed with pu April-May. Small, feathery, light-green l | ne-willte II | owers, |
| 18 to 24 in | | .50 |
| 2 to 2½ ft | | .60 |
| - van houttei 8'-0' | Vanhoutte | Spirea |
| White, May-June. Graceful habit. Extreing and very adaptable. | emely free f | lower- |
| ing and very adaptable. | | |
| 18 to 24 in | | .30 |
| 2 to 3 ft | | .40 |
| 3 to 1 ft | | 201 |

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| Scientific Name | Common Name |
|--|---|
| SYMPHORICARPOS—SN | OWBERRY |
| SYMPHORICARPOS racemosus, 5'-6 | Snowberry |
| Conspicuous, white berries, attractive able, but best in half shady moist loo | e foliage. Most adapt- |
| able, but best in half shady moist loo | Each |
| 2 to 3 ft | |
| vulgaris, 4'-5' Coral red berries persisting through shade, and bank planting. | Coralberry out winter. Good for |
| 2 to 3 ft | |
| SYRINGA-Lila | с |
| FRENCH LILACS—NAMED | VARIETIES |
| These are all grown from cuttings and which is the best way Lilacs can be g sucker. These named Lilacs generall height, depending on the variety and leads to the control of the control o | rown, as they will not y grow from 6'-12' in |
| Charles the Tenth, reddish purple sin Ludwig Spaeth, single reddish purple Marie Le Graye, single white Michel Buchner, double lilac Mme. Lemoine, double white President Grevy, double blue Rubra de Marly, single light blue Wm. Robinson, double violet pink | ngle e |
| 2 to 3 ft | |
| TAMARIX | |
| TAMARIX africana, 12'-14' Pink, April-May. Has feathery, graeffective near water. 3 to 4 ft | |
| VIBURNUM | |
| VIBURNUM americanum, 8'-9' An Bright scarlet berries in large bunche 18 to 24 in | es, persisting all winter. |
| —cassinoides, 5'-6' White, June-July. Berries pink, cl Rich autumn coloring; splendid f water. | Withe-Rod hanging to dark blue. or massing and near |
| 2 to 3 ft | |
| —dentatum, 10'-12' White, May–June. Berries blue-bl purple and red; thrives in wet soil. 2 to 3 ft | Arrow-Wood ack, autumn coloring |
| | ropean Cranberrybush |
| Berries resemble the cranberry very nall winter. | nuch, cling to branches |
| 18 to 24 in | |

| Scientific Name —tomentosum plicatum, 7'-8' Showy white flowers in balls, June. | Common Name Japanese Snowball Handsome foliage with |
|---|---|
| purple autumn coloring. 18 to 24 in | |
| WEIGELA | |
| WEIGELA amabilis, 7'-8' Light pink. 2 to 3 ft | Rose Weigela |
| 3 to 4 ft | |
| —candida, 7'-8' Large, pure white flowers. 2 to 3 ft | White Weigela |
| —Eva Rathke, 4'-5' Carmine, June-August. Most florife | Red Flowered Weigela |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| —nana variegata, 4'-5' Pale pink flower; variegated legrowth. | |
| 18 to 24 in | |
| —rosea, 7'-8' Showy, pink flowers freely productions | Pink Weigela luced. June. Vigorous |
| 2 to 3 ft | |



Part of Our Landscape Service, Moving a Large Boxwood.

HOW TO PLANT THEM SO THEY WILL LIVE

Get your plants at once. Open them immediately.

Reep them where they cannot dry out until planted.
Prepare the soil thoroughly before planting.
Do not allow the roots of the plants to dry out before planting.
Pack the soil firmly around the roots when planting.

Mulch after planting. Keep the soil moist until after growth starts.

Give shade and support if necessary.

SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES

| Scientific Name Common Name ACER—MAPLE | |
|---|----------|
| ACER dasycarpum, 60'-80' Silver Maple | |
| Quick growing, graceful shade tree; leaves silvery underneath. | |
| Each Per 10 |) |
| 8 to 10 ft. 1.75 15.00 10 to 12 ft. 3.00 27.50 12 to 14 ft. 5.00 |) |
| —wieri, 60'-80' Wier Cutleaf Maple Graceful, drooping form; very desirable. | : |
| 8 to 10 ft | |
| | : |
| The most popular street tree; retains its green leaves until late autumn. | |
| 6 to 8 ft | |
| 10 to 12 ft | |
| schwedleri, 40'-60' Schwedler Purple Leaf Maple | |
| lawn specimen. | ; |
| 6 to 8 ft | |
| —saccharum, 50'-75' Sugar Maple Similar to sorival Maple, taller, growing straight, spread- | ; |
| ing, symmetrical. 6 to 8 ft | |
| 8 to 10 ft 3.00 | |
| 10 to 12 ft | ; |
| 3 inch pots, 1 yr. grafts | |
| — — — dissectum, 4'-6' Purple Cutleaf Japanese Maple More dwarf than the above with finely cut purple-red leaves, | <u>:</u> |
| giving the plant a very graceful appearance. Good for rock work. | |
| 3 inch pots, 1 yr. grafts | |
| ——aureum, 6'-8' Golden Leaf Japanese Maple Dwarf golden foliage tree. Desirable for color effect in |) |
| planting. | l |
| 3 inch pots, 1 yr. grafts. 3.00 12 to 15 in. 6.00 | |
| BETULA—BIRCH | |
| | |
| BETULA alba, 30'-50' European White Birch Known by its white bark. | |
| 4 to 5 ft | |
| 5 to 6 ft |) |
| 6 to 8 ft | |
| ——laciniata, 30'-40' Cutleaf Weeping Birch Graceful tree for lawn planting. Very graceful. 3 to 4 ft | L |
| 3 to 4 ft |) |
| 4 to 5 it |) |
| 5 to 6 ft | |

8 to 10 ft.....

| CATALPA | | |
|--|--------------|------------------|
| Scientific Name | Commo | on Name |
| CATALPA bungei, 10'-15' Useful in formal planting. | Umbrella | Catalpa |
| 1 3 | Each | Per 10 |
| Light Heads 5 to 6 ft | 1.75 | 15.00 |
| Large Heads 5 to 6 ft | 3.50 | 22.50 32.50 |
| —speciosa, 30'-35' 6 to 8 ft | Western 1.25 | Catalpa 10.00 |

CERCIS—REDBUD

| CERCIS canadensis, 12'-15' | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|
| Rosy-Pink; April; very effective when | ı plant | ed with | 1 Dog- |
| wood; good foliage. Also called Judas | | | |
| 2 to 3 ft | | | 7.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft | | 1.10 | 10.00 |



One of Our Landscape Plantings.

CORNUS-DOGWOOD

| CORNUS florida, 15'-25' White Flowering Dogwood Among the best of the spring flowering small trees. 3 to 4 ft |
|--|
| —kousa, 16'-18'Kousa DogwoodWhite flowers in June. Conspicuous cherry-like scarletfruits, attractive to birds.18 to 24 in1.252 to 3 ft1.50 |
| — — rubra, 15'-20' Red Flowering Dogwood The pink flowers are more persistent than the white. 18 to 24 in |

CRATAEGUS—HAWTHORN

CRATAEGUS oxycantha splendens, 12'-15'

| Pauls | Scarlet | Hawthor |
|-------|---------|---------|
| | | |

| Double scarlet flowers. | |
|-------------------------|------|
| 2 to 3 ft | 2.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft | 2.50 |
| 4 to 5 ft | 3.00 |

| Scientific Name Common Name FAGUS—BEECH |
|---|
| FAGUS americana (ferruginea), 75'-100' American Beech One of our best native trees; distinctive silver-gray bark. Each Per 10 |
| 3 to 4 ft |
| FRAXINUS—ASH |
| FRAXINUS americana, 70'-80' White Ash Fairly rapid grower; assumes pleasing golden tones in autumn; good in moist soils. |
| 8 to 10 ft. 2.00 18.00 10 to 12 ft. 2.50 22.00 |
| GINKGO-MAIDENHAIR TREE |
| GINKGO biloba (Salisburia), 50'-75' Maidenhair Tree Picturesque, interesting, quite distinct leaves shaped like maidenhair fern; immune from insects. 8 to 10 ft |
| |
| LIRIODEN DRON—TULIPTREE |
| LIRIODENDRON tulipifera, 60'-80' Tuliptree A quick grower; the yellow tulip-like flowers are produced in June. |
| 6 to 8 ft. 1.50 8 to 10 ft. 2.00 |
| MAGNOLIA |
| MAGNOLIA soulangeana, 15'-18' Saucer Magnolia Large purplish-pink and white flowers in May. Best transplanted in early spring. 5" pots |
| 5" pots |
| MALUS—CRAB |
| MALUS ioensis plena, 10'-15' Bechtel Crab Large double pure pink flowers with noticeable fragrance; |
| vigorous grower. 1.00 2 to 3 ft. 1.50 4 to 5 ft. 1.50 |
| MORUS-MULBERRY |
| MORUS alba pendula, 8'-10' Tea's Weeping Mulberry The most popular small "weeping" tree. |
| Medium grade 3.00 Large heads 4.00 |
| PLATANUS—PLANE TREE |
| PLATANUS orientalis, 70'-80' European Plane Tree A good tree for park and street use; grows rather quickly; withstands smoky city conditions. |
| 6 to 8 ft. 2.00 8 to 10 ft. 3.00 10 to 12 ft. 4.00 |
| POPULUS—POPLAR |
| POPULUS nigra italica, 60'-80' Lombardy Poplar Tall spire-like character; valued for landscape work and |
| screens. 8 to 10 ft. 1.25 10.00 10 to 12 ft. 1.75 15.00 |
| PRUNUS—PLUM FLW. CHERRY |
| PRUNUS cerasifera pissardi, 12'-15' Purpleleaf Plum Valued chiefly because of purplish foliage; should be pruned every year for best color effect. 3 to 4 ft |
| 4 to 5 ft |
| 5 to 6 ft |

| Scientific Name | Common Name |
|---|--|
| serrulata Kwanzan | Jap. Flw. Cherry |
| Double dark pink Late | Fach Per 10 |
| Double, dark pink. Late. 4 to 5 ft | 3 00 |
| —Beni-Higan | Jap. Flw. Cherry |
| Large pink flowers. | Jap. Fiw. Cherry |
| Large plik nowers. | 2.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft | |
| —subnirtella pendula, 12'-15' Wee | ping Japan Cherry |
| A most beautiful and graceful tree, cove | red with pink blos- |
| soms in early spring. | |
| 3 to 4 ft. stems, 1 yr. heads | 4.00 |
| QUERCUS—OAK | |
| QUERCUS palustris, 75'-90' | Pin Oak |
| Takes most kindly to cultivation; prefer | Fin Oak |
| Takes most kindly to cultivation; prefe | is moist son, but is |
| very adaptable. Particularly fitting as | a street tree; good |
| autumn effects. | 4.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft | |
| 10 to 12 ft | |
| —rubra, 75′-90′ | Red Oak |
| Comparatively quick growth; rich au | itumn coloring in |
| greens and reds. | · · |
| 8 to 10 ft | 4.00 |
| 9 to 11 ft | |
| | |
| SALIX—WILLOW | |
| SALIX babylonica, 50'-60' Babylo | on Weeping Willow |
| Particularly appropriate for waterside pla | anting with its long |
| pendulous branches. | _ |
| 6 to 8 ft | 1.50 |
| 8 to 10 ft | 2.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft | Pussy Willow |
| Very desirable for spring effects. Will do | well on dry as well |
| as wet places | |
| 4 to 5 ft | |
| | |
| SORBUS—ASH | |
| SORBUS aucuparia, 25'-30' Europ | ean Mountain Ash |
| SORBUS aucuparia, 25'-30' Europ A valuable tree on a small lawn; the scar | let berries are quite |
| striking. | _ |
| 5 to 6 ft | 2.00 |
| THIS IINDEN | |
| TILIA—LINDEN TILIA americana, 75'-90' Grows rather quickly, forming an open h | A . T. 1 |
| TILIA americana, 75'-90' | American Linden |
| Grows rather quickly, forming an open h | ead. Has fragrant |
| yellow flowers. | |
| 8 to 10 ft | 3.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft | 4.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft | t European Linden |
| 8 to 10 ft | 3.50 |
| 10 to 12 ft | 4.50 |
| vulgaris, 60'-70' European | Small Leaf Linden |
| in late june the fragrant nowers are noti | ceable; grows sym- |
| metrical and compact. | |
| 8 to 10 ft | 4.00 |
| 10 to 12 ft | 5.00 |
| ULMUS—ELM | |
| | A 171 |
| ULMUS americana, 80'-100' | American Elm |
| Stateliness and dignity are here exempl | ified. Fairly rapid |
| in growth, this typical American tree | |
| proportions and commands respect of al | who look upon it. |
| 6 to 8 ft | 4 8 5 |
| | 1.75 15.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 |
| 8 to 10 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 4.00 Moline Elm |
| 8 to 10 ft 10 to 12 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 4.00 Moline Elm strong growth and |
| 8 to 10 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 4.00 Moline Elm strong growth and |
| 8 to 10 ft 10 to 12 ft | 1.75 15.00 2.50 20.00 4.00 Moline Elm strong growth and y desirable. |



Some fine two-year old California Privet.

HEDGE PLANTS

Scientific Name

BERBERIS—BARBERRY

BERBERIS thunbergii, 4'-5'

A splendid low hedge plant, or for autumn coloring; scarlet berries.

Per 10 Per 100

| 12 | to | 15 | in | | | | | | | | | | | | \$1.50 | \$10.00 |
|----|----|----|----|--|--|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|------|--|--------|---------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15.00 |
| 18 | to | 24 | in | | | | | | | | | | | | 2.50 | 20.00 |

LIGUSTRUM-PRIVET

LIGUSTRUM ovalifolium, 9'-10'. California Privet California Privet. The most popular hedge plant on account of its beauty, adaptability, and low cost. Did you ever realize what an admirable and luxuriant privet hedge you could secure at a very small cost, and how much it would add to the value of your property? To find the exact number wanted, measure the space where it is to be planted and multiply the number of feet by two. They should be planted 3 inches deeper than they stood in

They should be planted 3 inches deeper than they stood in the nursery row. Set the plants 6 inches apart in the row. Dip the roots in water before planting. After plants are set, cut them down to 4 inches from the surface of the ground. This will cause a thick new growth to start and is very essential

for a beautiful hedge.

When cutting, each time allow about 1 to 2 inches above where it was cut before until you get the height desired.

| | Per | Per | Per |
|--------------------|---------|--------|---------|
| | 10 | 100 | 1000 |
| 67to 12 in., 1 yr | .\$.20 | \$1.50 | \$10.00 |
| 12 to 18 in., 1 yr | 25 | 2.00 | 15.00 |
| 18 to 24 in., 1 yr | | | |

Two-year—cut back and well branched. Will give immediate effect.

| 12 to 18 in., 2 yr | .35 | 3.00 | 25.00 |
|--------------------|-----|------|-------|
| 10 : 04 : 0 | 40 | 2.50 | 20.00 |
| 18 to 24 in., 2 yr | .40 | 3.30 | 30.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft., 2 yr | .45 | 4.00 | 35.00 |

Many of our Ornamental Shrubs and Evergreens make splendid Hedges, Screens and Windbreaks.

ROSES

The list we offer is not a large one but contains the "cream" of the ones that do well here. These roses are 2 year No. 1, potted. They will bloom this year.

Scientific Name

Common Name

Everblooming Roses

Hybrid Teas and Teas

Gruss an Teplitz. Everblooming scarlet crimson. A strong grower. The best everbloomer of its color.

Each Per 10 1.00 8.50

Jonkheer J. L. Mock. A new pink Rose from Holland; vigorous in growth and hardy, with long smooth canes and great freedom of bloom. Flowers are round and full bright pink faced carmine.

1.00 8.50

Ophelia. Salmon-flesh, shaded rose. A Rose that is admired by everyone.

1.00 8.50

Radiance. Lovely light silvery pink flowers, with beautiful suffusion of deeper color. It may be relied upon to produce flowers under all conditions.

1.00 8.50

Red Radiance. A deep red, with great globular flowers.
Blooms until frost.

8.50

Souv. de Claudius Pernet. Color a decided and unstained sunflower yellow, even deeper toned at center. Will not fade. Flower form is large and full, the buds long and pointed. Vigorous grower. 1.00 8.50

Frau Karl Druschki. Constant bloomer. Best white.

8.50 1.00

Climbers and Ramblers

Climbing American Beauty. Plant a vigorous grower. Color red, same as the famous old American Beauty. Wonderfully free bloomer.

7.50 .80

Dorothy Perkins. Rambler. In June and July this one produces immense trusses of delightful pink flowers. Hardiest of all roses.

.80 7.50

Dr. W. Van Fleet. This is one of the most magnificent and showy roses of any class. Color a delicate shade of flesh pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy flesh in the center. .80 7.50

Paul's Scarlet Climber. Midseason. The most brilliant, vivid scarlet of any Rose grown. The color is intense and the flowers come in beautiful open cluster-heads with from 5 to 15 blooms, on very long strong stems. 7.50

Golden Rose of China ROSA hugonis, 5'-6' A very desirable border rose with very attractive yellow flowers. Two year extra. 1.00

HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

Scientific Name

Common Name Each Per 10

ASTILBE Japonica Hybrids (Spirea)

ANEMONE. Pink or White

.30

Larkspur

1.50

America. Deep pink; excellent forcing variety.

Brunhilde. Creamy white, shaded lilac.

Philadelphia.

Queen Alexandra. Light pink; good for forcing. 2-year.....\$.50 \$4.00

CAMPANULA carpatica. Carpathian Bellflower A pretty species growing in compact tufts, not exceeding 8 inches high; flowers clear blue, held erect on wiry stems. It begins blooming in June, continuing until October. As an edging for a hardy border or for the rockery it is unsurpassed.

2.00

CANNAS

How to Make a Round Canna Bed

Plant 1 Canna in the center, 6 in the first circle, 12 in the second circle, then 18, 24, etc., according to the size of the bed, with the circles 18 inches apart, and the plants in the circle 18 inches apart. A bed 4 feet in diameter takes 7 Cannas; a 7-foot bed, 19 Cannas; a 10-foot bed, 37 Cannas; a 16-foot bed, 91 Cannas.

King Humbert. 4 ft. Flower orange-scarlet, streaked crim-son. Foliage ebony. Its unusually handsome foliage, which is equaled by no other variety, makes this Canna as popular as is The President for its gorgeous flowers.

Salmon Queen. 5 ft. Very good bloomer, salmon color, taller.

The President. 4 ft. Far and away superior to any other scarlet Canna ever produced. This beauty, with its massive heads of glowing scarlet, is in a class by itself for brilliant effect and is used by practically every park superintendent who needs a vivid red in his plantings.

.15 1.25 CHRYSANTHEMUM Maximum, 2' Shasta Daisy .25 White, July-Sept. 2.00

DELPHINIUM belladonna, 2½' Light blue, June-Oct.

They are our best blue cut flower, are perfectly hardy, and established plants produce a number of spikes, giving three crops during the season.

-bellamosum, 2'. June-Oct. Larkspur A dark blue of the type of Belladonna with the color of Larkspur the old Formosum variety, but not liable to mildew like the latter and of stronger growth.

.25 2.00 1-year..... DAHLIAS. Fine collection of named varieties.. 2.50

Mixed varieties..... DIANTHUS barbatus, 1½' Sweet William

Double flower, May-June. .201.50

-Gertrude, 1', red. .25 2.00

—Her Majesty, 10". Very large purest double white.

.50 4.00 Grass Pink -Plumarius, 1' Pink, purplish and white, fragrant flowers and on long spikes. For border or rock garden. .20

| Scientific Name | Common | |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| DICENTRA spectabilis, 2' Pink and white, May-June. DICTAMNUS albus, 2½'. White, June-Jul The Dictamnus is one of the most satisfact in cultivation, both on account of splendic rich, durable foliage. | ly. Gas | Heart 7.50 Plant |
| — ruber, 2½'. Rosy purple, June–July. | | 6.00 |
| DIGITALIS purpurea gloxiniaeflora, 3'-4' | ./5 loxinia Fo | 6.00 |
| GYPSOPHYLLA paniculata, 2' —Paniculata compacta. Compact white; fin drying. | .20 Baby's F e for cuttin | 1.50 Breath ag and |
| HIBISCUS (Mallow), 4' A robust type of upright habit, producing flowers of enormous size in all the richest she pink and white. | Mallow M an abunda ades of cri | nce of mson, |
| IRIS germanica, 1½'-3' Assorted colors. —Kaempferi Assorted colors. KNIPHOFIA pfitzeri (Tritoma), 2' | Germa | |
| yard long, with a single fiery cone at the scarlet, the opened lower petals rimmed with September. Must be carefully protected dormant in dry sand during winter. | top. Br orange. or else ca | ilks a illiant July- arried |
| LESPEDEZA formosa, 3'-4' Pur Rosy purple flower conspicuous in Sept. A | ple Bush (Attractive s | Clover |
| LILIUM —Candidum. This is the old-fashioned gard of the most beautiful. Ready in September | Madonna en Lily, an er only. | a Lilv |
| LYCHNIS Chalcedonica, 3' Heads of vivid scarlet flowers, blooming a of the brightest plants in the hardy border. | Maltese long time. | Cross One |
| MYOSOTIS scorpioides True | .25 Forget-M | 2.00 e-Not 2.00 |
| PAEONIA —Edulis Superba. Soft pink, early. | | Peony |
| 3 to 5 eyes | 50 | 4.00 |
| 3 to 5 eyes | e tipped. | 7.00 4.00 |
| 3 to 5 eyes | 50 imson. 75 | 7.00 |
| Officinalis Rubra fl. pl. Very early double 3 to 5 eyes. PHLOX Decussata Perennial Phloxes succeed in almost any some manure in Spring, and in hot weather an ocof water. If the first spikes of bloom are a as over, they will produce a second supply tinuing the display until late in Autumn. — Beacon. Brilliant cherry-red. | 75 Hardy oil enriched casional so cemoved as | l with aking s soon |
| | .25 | 2.00 |

ROOT'S NURSERIES, INC.

Scientific Name

Common Name

Each Per 10

---Elizabeth Campbell. Bright salmon-pink, with lighter shadings and dark red eye; one of the handsomest and most attractive. .35 3.00

- -Homeland. (Deutschland.) Large trusses of brilliant dark orange-red flowers. .35 3.00
- -Jules Sandeau. Large, fine, very free-flowering, pure pink.
- - Mrs. Milly van Hoboken. New. Soft pink, without eye. Large flowers on long erect spike.
- -- Thor. A beautiful lively shade of deep salmon-pink, suffused and overlaid with a scarlet glow; has aniline-red eve. .25



PHLOX Suffruticosa

- —Miss Lingard. The best Phlox in cultivation. It produces immense heads of beautiful white flowers in June and blooms again in September and October.

.25 2.00

PHLOX Subulata

Moss Phlox

---Alba. Pure white.

.25 2.00

- Lilacina. Light lilac.

.25 2.00

PHYSALIS Franchetti, 2' (Chinese Lantern Plant)

Orange Red Seed Pods, Oct.

.25

PLATYCODON

Balloon Flower

-Grandiflora. Blue. 18 inches. June to October. Large, showy, deep blue flowers. Good for rock garden and border. .25 2.00

ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINES

| Scientific Name | Common Name |
|---|--------------------|
| AMPELOPSIS quinquefolia, 30'-50' | Virginia Creeper |
| Valuable for rich, fiery autumn coloring. | Quick grower. |
| | Quick grower. |
| Each 2 to 3 ft | |
| 2 to 3 ft | Boston Ivar |
| Brilliant autumn coloring blue berries | Boston Ivy |
| Brilliant autumn coloring, blue berries, closely self clinging. Also called Japanese | Crooper |
| 18 to 24 in | Creeper. |
| | D . 1 1 12 |
| ARISTOLOCHIA sipho | Outchman's Pipe |
| Flowers are purple, of quaint pipe shape | e. Large neart- |
| shaped leaves. Good for porches. | |
| 2-year | |
| BIGNONIA radicans, 20'-30' | Trumpet Vine |
| Showy trumpet-shaped flowers, scarlet an | nd orange, July. |
| Showy trumpet-shaped flowers, scarlet as 3-year, 2 to 3 ft | |
| CELASTRUS scandens, 20'-25' Amer | ican Bittersweet |
| Most adaptable vine with orange and red b | erries that retain |
| color when cut and dried. | |
| 2-year, 2 to 3 ft | |
| CLEMATIS, Large Flowered Varieties, 10'-1 | 5' |
| Grand for pillars and trellises, pegged down | |
| for running over rockwork, old trees and | stumps. They |
| delight in rich soil, and sun. | . seamps. 2oj |
| —Henryi. Creamy white. | |
| - Jackmani. Velvety, violet-purple. | |
| — Jackmani. Velvety, violet-purple. — Mad. Ed. Andre. A distinct crimson red. | |
| 2-year | |
| 2-year | utumn Clematis |
| The flowers are of medium size, fragrant, p | ure white, borne |
| in immense sheets in September. | |
| 2-year, first class | |
| EUONYMUS radicans variegatus, 12"-15" | |
| Variegated Le | af Wintercreeper |
| Leaves veined and marked yellowish v | white and pink. |
| Clinging vine. | _ |
| 2-year | |
| 2-year | af Wintercreeper |
| Bushy, interesting growth. Leaves rou | nd, dull green. |
| Bright scarlet fruits, freely produced. H | landsome among |
| evergreens. Also called Evergreen Bitters | weet. |
| Bushy, interesting growth. Leaves rou Bright scarlet fruits, freely produced. Hevergreens. Also called Evergreen Bitters 9 to 12 in | |
| 12 to 15 in | |
| HEDERA helix, 20'-50' | English Ivy |
| Good ground cover in shady locations. An | ideal wall cover. |
| 2-year | |
| LONICERA japonica halliana, 15'-25' | |
| Hall lanar | iese Honeysuckle |
| Grows rampantly. Blooms freely, delicion | isly fragrant. |
| Grows rampantly. Blooms freely, delicion 2-year, first class | |
| POLYGONUM auberti | China Fleecevine |
| Climbing plant of vigorous growth attaining | ng a height of 25 |
| feet and producing through summer and sprays of white flowers. | fall great foamy |
| sprays of white flowers. | |
| 2-year | |
| | Chinese Wisteria |
| Good for pergolas, porches and trellises; | dense drooping |
| clusters of pea-shaped purple-blue flowers. | delibe di coping |
| 2 to 3 ft | 9.00 |
| 2 to 3 ft | e White Wisteria |
| 2 to 3 ft | 9.00 |



One of our signs along Highway-Canna Bed in Foreground, Evergreens in rear.

APPLES

There is a constantly increasing demand for high-quality fruit of all kinds, and in no class of fruit is the demand more noticeable than in Apples. With the proper selection of varieties and intelligent cultivation, there is no reason why the orchardist who makes a specialty of Apples should not have a business yielding him larger returns for the money and labor invested than almost any other horticultural industry. Where Apples are grown solely for home use, a wide range of varieties may be selected; and the list of distinct kinds offered in our catalog afford the choicest varieties in all desirable types; and cover the entire range of ripening seasons.

Apple trees should be set 32 to 40 feet apart.

Fillers. Most commercial orchards are now planted with standard varieties, 40 feet apart each way. Quick, upright growing, early maturing varieties are used as fillers, planting between standards to make 20 ft. apart; fillers to be removed when the standard trees require the room (12 to 18 years). This requires 28 standard and 82 fillers to the acre. We recommend for fillers: Yellow Transparent, Oldenburg, Grimes Golden, McIntosh and Wealthy, or peach trees.

| Per | Per |
|--------|---|
| 10 | 100 |
| \$6.50 | |
| 5.00 | \$40.00 |
| 4.00 | 35.00 |
| 3.00 | 25.00 |
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| _ | |
| Per | Per |
| 10 | 100 |
| \$3.00 | \$25.00 |
| 2.50 | 20.00 |
| 2.00 | 17.50 |
| | |
| | 10 \$6.50 5.00 4.00 3.00 Per 10 \$3.00 2.50 |

SUMMER APPLES

Attractive, red, best eating apple of its season. Benoni.

Early bearer and very productive.

Early Harvest. Medium, pale yellow, tender, juicy.

Oldenburg (Duchess of Oldenburg). Good size, y streaked red, juicy, sub-acid, productive. Good size, yellow,

Summer Rambo. Very large; flesh yellow, firm, tender, very juicy, mild sub-acid.

Red Astrachan. Large, beautiful deep crimson. A favor-

ite eating and cooking apple.

Yellow Transparent. Earliest and best: white, tender, juicy, sprightly, sub-acid. Grows rapidly, bears young, and makes a profitable "filler."

AUTUMN APPLES

Gravenstein. Large striped, fine quality, one of the best fall sorts.

Maiden Blush. Large, beautiful, blush cheek.

An old favorite, originated in Lancaster Smokehouse. Co., Pa.

Wealthy. Medium size, smooth, round, deep red; handsome and of fine quality.

WINTER APPLES

Red, large, fine quality, tree vigorous.

Baldwin. Red, l. Winter Banana. Size large, golden yellow with bright

crimson red.

Cortland. This is a promising new variety originated at the Horticultural Experimental Farms, Geneva, N. Y. The fruit is medium to large in size, of a bright red color. Flesh is pure white.

Delicious. Red and yellow; fine grained, and quite juicy;

flavor slightly acid, but very good.

Falawater (sometimes called Pound Apple).

yellowish green fruit.

Grimes Golden. No orchard complete without it. Yellow. best quality and productive. For either home or market for this season there is nothing better.

Hubbardston. Large, red, striped, tender, juicy.

Medium; red, extra quality. Ionathan.

McIntosh. Large, deep crimson, highest quality, juicy, sub-acid.

Paradise Winter Sweet. Large; creamy, rosy-cheeked.

Rome Beauty. Large, yellow, shaded red; tender, juicy, sub-acid.

Stark. Large, striped light and red, juicy, mild, sub-acid. An early and abundant bearer, good keeper.

Stayman Winesap. Of the several important descendants of Winesap, this variety is leaping into prominence as a splendid sort for the home or commercial orchard. The tree is a sturdy grower and a very heavy producer. It is adapted to a wide range of soils and climates, thriving almost wherever planted. It runs to large sizes. The fruit is of deep red color, with firm flesh, tender, juicy, and the same rich flavor of the We strongly recommend this variety for the home or parent. commercial orchard.

Medium to large; yellow, shaded red; York Imperial.

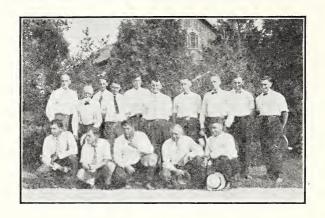
firm, juicy, sub-acid.

CRAB APPLES

Hyslop. Large; deep crimson; one of the most beautiful;

very popular.

Transcendent. For many years the most popular crab ople. Fruit about an inch in diameter, yellow, with red apple. cheek.



Variety Identification Meeting

Photo taken on our show grounds just after going over our Photo taken on our snow grounds just after going over our block of apple trees, in which no trees were discovered that were untrue to name. Prof. F. N. Fagan, State College, could not be with us this day because of illness. He, with Mr. F. M. Trimble, Chief Nursery Inspector, first man to left—front row—is on this committee. We cooperate with Penna. State College and our State Dept. of Agriculture in this work, which is for your additional protection. These men represent nurseries in widely scattered sections of the State.

PEACHES

We are offering only a limited number of varieties, ones that you can depend on giving you a good crop of fruit. We do not think it worth while to propagate a large number of varieties, when a few of the best will make more money for our customers. The peach crop is quite sure if you give your trees proper attention.

Price of Peaches

| | Per | Per |
|------------------------|--------|---------|
| Each | 10 | 100 |
| 5 to 7 ft\$.60 | \$5.00 | \$35.00 |
| $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 ft | 4.00 | 25.00 |
| 4 to 5 ft | 3.00 | 20.00 |
| 3 to 4 ft | 2.00 | 15.00 |

Arranged in Order of Ripening

The very best extra early commercial sort. Greensboro. Hardy and productive, fruit large and tree healthy. white with crimson cheek.

White with red blush. Carman is extra hardy, bears every year, and when it fails all else fails too.

very robust grower and produces heavily.

Hiley (Early Belle). The earliest commercial white freestone peach. It resembles Belle of Georgia, but in quality is superior to most of its white-fleshed competitors. The pretty red cheek and good shipping qualities make it very popular for early market.

Champion. Large variety, creamy white, red cheek, sweet,

rich and juicy. Hardy and productive.

Belle (Belle of Georgia). Very large; skin white with red cheek; flesh white, firm and of excellent flavor. Tree a rapid grower, very prolific.

Capt. Ede. A handsome yellow peach of excellent quality;

hardy in bud and blossom.

J. H. Hale. Probably no new peach has ever been introduced claiming to be so much superior in all ways. It averages one-third to one-half larger than Elberta, ripens about five days earlier and is much superior in flavor. beautiful golden-yellow, with deep carmine blush.

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Elberta. Large, yellow, with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, of high quality. Exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. The leading market variety.

Late Crawford. A superb, large, yellow peach.

Mathews (Dr. Funk's strain). Very similar to Elberta but

of better quality.
Old Mixon Free. Large, pale yellow, deep red cheek, white flesh, tender, rich, good.

Roberta (Late Elberta). Ripens 10 days to 2 weeks later

than Elberta which it resembles very closely.

Stump. Large, white, bright red cheek.
Salway. A late yellow variety. Latter part of September. Iron Mountain. Ripens September 15 to October 1. Fruit is of large size; color, white.

APRICOTS

| | Each | Per 10 |
|-----------|------|--------|
| 4 to 6 ft | | |
| | | |

Early Golden. Small, pale orange, juicy and sweet.

Dallas. Fruit large, round, early, deep yellow with a fine blush; flesh yellow, firm, juicy and excellent. Tree hardy, a good grower.

Royal. Large, yellow, juicy, rich and delicious; a very

fine variety.

CHERRIES

| Each | Per 10 |
|-----------------|--------|
| 5 to 7 ft\$.85 | \$7.50 |
| 4 to 6 ft | 6.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft | 5.50 |

SWEET CHERRIES

Very large, dark brown-almost black; flesh firm, sweet, rich and delicious. One of the most profitable sorts. July.

Black Tartarian. Very large, black, juicy. Last of June. Gov. Wood. Large, light red, juicy, rich, delicious.

healthy and productive. June.

Napoleon. Large, pale yellow or red; firm, juicy, sweet and July. productive.

Schmidt. Immense size, deep black; flesh dark, tender, very juicy, fine flavor; productive. July.

Windsor. Fruit large, liver-colored, distinct; flesh re-Immense size, deep black; flesh dark, tender,

markably firm and of fine quality. Tree hardy and prolific. A valuable late variety. July.

Yellow Spanish. Large, yellow and red. June.

SOUR CHERRIES

Medium, dark red, melting, juicy, Early Richmond. sprightly, rich acid.

English Morello. Fair size, blackish red, rich acid.
Montmorency. Large, deep cherry red, very tender and
juicy. It is the best variety for home and market. It ripens at the close of the Early Richmond season, and is of better size than that variety; more meaty and of richer flavor.

PEARS

| Each | Per 10 |
|----------------------|--------|
| 5 to 7 ft\$.85 | \$7.50 |
| 4 to 6 ft | |
| Dwarf Pear 4 to 5 ft | 6.50 |

Bartlett. Season last of August to September 15th. Good strong grower, flesh is white, fine grained, luscious, large and buttery, has a rich melting flavor and very sweet.

Clapp's Favorite. Summer. Fruit large, yellow lemon color, spotted with brown dots; flesh fine, rich and sweet.

A very good one.

Duchesse. Very large, buttery, rich, juicy, excellent. It succeeds to perfection and is the most popular market variety as a dwarf. Oct. and Nov.

Kieffer. Its large size, handsome appearance, and remark-

able keeping and shipping qualities make it very profitable Oct. and Nov. for market. Oct. and Nov.

Seckel. Small; skin rich yellowish brown when fully ripe,

with deep brownish red cheek; flesh very fine-grained, sweet,

exceedingly juicy, melting, buttery; one of the richest and highest flavored pears known. Sept. and Oct. Sheldon. A large, round, russet and red pear of very fine quality; melting, rich, delicious. Tree vigorous, erect, handsome; bears well and should be more largely planted. October.

PLUMS

| Each | Per 10 |
|-----------------|--------|
| 5 to 7 ft\$.85 | \$7.50 |
| 4 to 6 ft | 6.50 |
| 3 to 4 ft | |

Abundance. One of the oldest and best varieties; hardy, productive. Fruit large, lemon yellow, with heavy bloom; good quality. Aug.

Burbank. Most profitable among growers for market.

Ripens 10 days after Abundance. Tree hardy.

October Purple. A strong, vigorous grower, hardy, productive, of good quality; a large, round, late purple plum, especially recommended for late market.

Red June. One of the vigorous, upright growers; productive; fair size, vermilion red; pleasant quality. Ripens

a week before Abundance. Aug.

Climax. One of the best of the large, early sweet plums, ripening ahead of other varieties, which makes it a very valuable market sort. July.

Gold. Large, oval, bright yellow; rich, juicy, fine quality.

A good grower.

Bradshaw. A very large and fine early plum, dark violet red, juicy and good. Very productive; valuable for market. The tree is very hardy and vigorous. Middle of August.

German Prune. Large, dark purple, sweet, good. One of the most popular for canning, because of its sweetness. September.

Italian Prune. Good size, purple, juicy, delicious, fine for drying. September.

Imperial Gage. Large, pale green, juicy, sweet, rich, and

excellent. August.

Satsuma (Blood). Large, globular, with sharp point.
Color, purple and red with blue bloom; flesh firm, juicy, dark red or blood color, fine quality; pit very small. Hardy and vigorous grower. August.

| QUINCES | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| Eac | | | | |
| 4 to 5 ft | 35 \$7.50 75 6.50 | | | |
| Orange. Fruit large, bright yellow, of excellent quality. Champion. A prolific and constant bearer of oval fruit, averaging larger than Orange and ripening later. Long keeper. Meech Prolific. A vigorous grower and immensely productive of large, orange-yellow fruit of delightful flavor and fine cooking quality. | | | | |
| SMALL FRUITS | | | | |
| GRAPES (2 years) | | | | |
| Brighton. Red, high quality, large . \$.35 \$.30 Concord. The leading black variety25 2.00 Moore's Early. Good, early, black25 2.00 Niagara. The standard white grape25 Worden. Earlier than Concord, sweeter | \$25.00 12.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 | | | |
| Caco. New, red |) | | | |
| ASPARAGUS | | | | |
| Per 10 Per 10 Per 10 Per 10 Palmetto. Old reliable, 1 year | 8.00 10.00 8.00 | | | |
| STRAWBERRIES | | | | |
| Per 10 Per 100 | Per 1000 | | | |
| Premier. One of the best, early, productive | 7.00 7.00 | | | |
| RASPBERRIES | | | | |
| Cuthbert. Standard red | 4.00 6.00 5 4.00 4.00 | | | |
| BLACKBERRIES | | | | |
| Eldorado. Hardy, vigorous, productive | 6.00 | | | |
| CURRANTS (2 years) | | | | |
| Cherry. Large berries, short bunch25 Fays. Old leading market variety25 Wilder. Better than Fays25 White Grape. Large, yellowish white25 | 15.00 15.00 12.00 | | | |
| GOOSEBERRIES (2 years) | | | | |
| Each Per 10 | 0 Per 100 | | | |
| Downing. Large, pale green, very good | | | | |

SUPPLIES

SUNOCO SPRAY OIL

For the control of Aphis, Red Mite, Scale and Apple Red Bug. An efficient remedy for Red Spider on evergreens, scale and other insects on ornamentals. Directions for uses will be sent upon request.

| 50 gallons in drum @ 50¢ | \$25.00 |
|---------------------------|---------|
| 30 gallons in drum @ 60¢ | |
| 15 gallons in drum @ 70¢ | 10.50 |
| 5 gallons in can @ \$1.00 | 5.00 |
| 1 gallon in can | 1.25 |

SHEEP MANURE

| 5 Lbs | ٠. | \$.25 |
|---------|----|------------|
| 10 Lbs | | .45 |
| 25 Lbs | | 1.00 |
| 50 Lbs | | 1.50 |
| 100 Lbs | | 2.50 |

Larger quantities, prices on application.

PEAT MOSS

Valuable for mulching and mixing with soil in ornamental plantings, gardens, lawns, etc. GPM.

Splendid litter for poultry houses. Bale covers 240 square feet one inch deep. OKPL.

These brands assure you best quality.

| 1 Bushel | \$.50 |
|----------|--------|
| ½ Bale | 2.00 |
| 1 Bale | 3.50 |

Larger quantities, prices on application.

SOIL

Carefully selected top-soil rich in plant food.

| 100 Lbs | \$.50 |
|----------|--------|
| 500 Lbs | 2.00 |
| 1000 Lbs | 3.50 |
| 2000 Lbs | 6.00 |

BLOOMAID

For Flowers , Shrubs , Vegetables

If you want your flowers to bloom earlier and longer, your shrubs and hedges to be greener, thriftier, we recommend that you use Bloomaid. Brings blooms ten days to two weeks earlier—makes plants double the size of those not treated.

Use it in the vegetable garden, around shrubs and to enrich the soil in window boxes and flower pots.

Fifteen times as rich as manure; does not bring in weed seed or the spores of plant diseases.



| Bloomaid Price | S |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Tablet Form (125 Tablets)\$ | .25 |
| Liquid Form (8-oz. Bottle) | .50 |
| Pulverized Form: | .25 |
| 5-lb. Container | .50 |
| 25-lb, Bag | 1.75 |
| ▶ 100-lb. Bag | 5.00 |

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To have a lawn of closer, faster-growing grass that resists drought, stays greener—constantly thickens and spreads—use V-C Fairway Fertilizer.

This is the treatment now used on the lawns of country estates, polo fields and on the most famous golf courses.

Fifteen times as rich as manure; costs not more than 10 cents for each 100 square feet to be treated. Practically no odor.

Prices

| 100-lb. Bag (enough for 5,000 sq. ft.) | \$5.00 |
|--|--------|
| 50-lb. Bag (enough for 2,500 sq. ft.) | |
| 25-lb. Bag (enough for 1,250 sq. ft.) | 1.75 |
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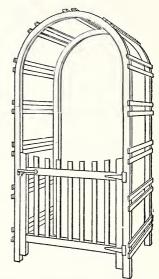
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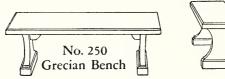
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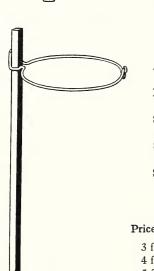
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Prices-

3 ft. height..... 2.40 per doz. 4 ft. height 3.00 per doz. 5 ft. height..... 3.60 per doz.

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Orders. Orders should be sent in just as soon as possible after receiving catalog. By placing orders early you are more certain of getting the varieties wanted, as late in the season we are usually sold out of some of the varieties.

season we are usually sold out of some of the varieties. If ordered early we can reserve the stock until you want it shipped.

Shipping. We have the Pennsylvania and Reading Railroads and the Lancaster Trolley system, and can ship in any direction with the probability of prompt arrival at destination.

All shipments travel at the cost and risk of the purchaser.

Truck Deliveries. Truck load orders will be delivered free, assemble distances have been and smaller and arrival at livery and the state of the sta

reasonable distances; long hauls and smaller orders delivered by special arrangement. We are well equipped to give good

truck service.

Guarantee. We guarantee all stock to be strictly first class and true to name and will upon proper proof refund the purchase price, or replace any stock which proves otherwise. It is understood and agreed that we will not be held responsible for any greater sum than the cost of the stock, should any prove untrue. We strive to avoid mistakes and believe that we are as exact as any in the business.

Our nurseries are inspected every year and every shipment

will be accompanied by a Certificate of the State Examiner.

Replacements. We guarantee all stock we sell to be strictly first class and TRUE TO NAME, dug and packed properly for shipment; we do not charge a price for a tree that, should it die, we could replace it and then still make a profit. Stock often perishes when it is not properly planted and cultivated; also the severe cold and heavy storms of Winter and droughts of Spring and Summer, which are liable to occur, will sometimes cause the best of stock to perish, which is no fault of ours,

It is impossible for us to guarantee trees and plants to live. as this altogether depends on weather conditions and how stock is planted and cared for after planting. The conditions which prevail after stock leaves our hands are such that it is just as impractical for a Nurseryman to guarantee a tree or plant to live as it would be for your best neighbor to sell you a horse or other live stock and guarantee it to live. We can only guarantee to send you good stock up to grade represented, full of life and true to name. Upon request we will furnish

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Substitution. When sold out of a variety of trees or plants we frankly say so, and when you allow us to substitute we will send a variety similar to the one ordered, as good or better; as we know the many varieties, our substitution, if any, will be of advantage. Late in the season we are sometimes sold out of some varieties of stock; thus when sending your order it is to your advantage to say whether we may substitute or not, that we may get the order off promptly, before the season is too far advanced for successful planting. If you do not wish to exercise this right, please mark your order sheet plainly NO SUBSTITUTION.

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NEW CUSTOMERS AND OLD

In 1926 we were pleased to do business with 525 customers that had never purchased stock from us before, during 1927—628, and up to the end of the past year, 1928—798. We are glad to announce that this has been accomplished with no apparent loss of our older customers, who are still standing by us. Because of limited space we could print only one of the many fine testimonials we have received.

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Root's Nurseries, R. D. 1, Manheim, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

I wish to take this opportunity of letting you know that the trees I have purchased from you during the last seven years have been universally satisfactory.

They have always been up to or better than the specifications and also, as far as I am able to tell at this time, true to variety.

It has always been a pleasure to do business with you, as I have always found you considerate and obliging.

Formerly I was in the habit of dividing my orders between several Nurseries, as I felt it was good business not to put all my eggs in one basket, but in recent years my confidence has been such that I now give you my entire order.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. GORDON FETTERMAN

Plant names used in this catalog conform, for the most part, with "Standardized Plant Names," adopted by The American Joint Committee on Horticultural Nomenclature.

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SUCCESSFUL PLANTING AND CARE OF STOCK

CARE

The bundles should be opened immediately, the roots dipped in water, then heeled in moist ground so that the mellow earth will come in contact with the roots and thoroughly protect them from the air, having the earth tramped solid about them.

When ready to plant, take up only a few at a time, puddle the roots and do not allow them to lie exposed to the sun or air.

The ground should be carefully prepared by deep plowing and firming down with a disc and harrow.

PLANTING

The holes for planting must be large enough to receive the roots freely, without cramping or bending them from their natural position. All broken or mutilated portions of the roots must be cut off so as to leave the ends smooth and sound. All trees should be planted two or three inches deeper than they stood in the nursery row; pack the soil very firmly about the roots by tamping with the feet or post tamper, being careful not to bark or break the roots. Leave three inches of the surface soil loose to serve as a mulch. If the ground is very dry, apply one to two pails of water before this soil mulch is in place, and after the water has soaked away it can then be placed over the moist soil.

NUMBER OF TREES OR PLANTS TO THE ACRE

| 40 feet apart each | way | | | 2 | 28 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------|---|------|----|
| 30 feet apart each | way | | | 4 | 48 |
| 20 feet apart each | way | , | | 11 | 10 |
| 18 feet apart each | way | | | 13 | 35 |
| 15 feet apart each | way | • • • • • • • • • • • | , | 20 | 00 |
| 12 feet apart each 10 feet apart each | way | | | 43 | |
| 8 feet apart each | way | | | 65 | 80 |
| 6 feet apart each | way | | | 1.21 | |
| 5 feet apart each | | | | | |
| 4 feet apart each | way | | | 2,72 | 25 |
| 3 feet apart each | wav | | | 4.84 | 40 |

Rule—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant, which, divided into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560), will give the number of plants or trees to the acre.

SUITABLE DISTANCE FOR PLANTING

Apples—30 to 40 feet apart each way. Standard Pears and Cherries—20 feet apart each way. Plums, Peaches and Apricots—16 to 18 feet apart each way. Dwarf Pears and Quinces—10 to 12 feet apart each way. Grapes—rows of 10 to 16 feet apart; 7 to 10 feet in rows. Currants and Gooseberries—4 feet apart. Raspberries and Blackberries—3 to 4 by 5 to 7 feet. Strawberries, for field culture—1 by 3 to 3½ feet. Strawberries, for garden culture—1 to 2 feet apart. Asparagus, for field culture—18 to 24 inches by 3½ to 4 feet. Asparagus, for garden culture—18 to 24 inches apart each way.

